

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Naratil et al CONFIRMATION NO.: 8319
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INSTRUMENTS: U.S. TREASURY SECURITIES, LIQUID
AGENCIES AND ZERO COUPON STRIPS

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants submit this paper in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") on May 29, 2008. Applicants respectfully request entry of the following revised Amendment, which correctly identifies the status of claim 18 as "currently amended" instead of "previously presented." No new matter is introduced.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge all fees due to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 16-2500.

Please amend the application as follows: